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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of May 11, 2007 and the Advisory Action of September 17, 2007, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows. A Request for Continued Examination and a two-month extension of time, extending the time for response to October 11, 2007, is filed herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.